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K-6 Library Curriculum

Fiction 3rd Grade

Topic: Library Organization

Grade: 3rd

Core: RI.3.5

Objectives: Students will be able to locate fiction books by going to the correct area in the library and using the author’s last name.

Materials Needed: Fiction books

Presentation Guidelines:

* Show students where the fiction books in your library are located.
* Have a few books from this section pulled from the shelves.
* Tell the students that the books in this section are shelved by the first three letters of the author’s last name.
* Show the students the books you have pulled and show them that the above statement is true by pointing out the Author’s last name on the cover and comparing it with the letters in the call number.
* Tell the students that this is a great way to shelve books because all of the books by an author are then kept together.